STATE CALIFORNIA	San Francisco (Yerba P Buena Cove)
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REPRESENTED IN NEGATIVE FILE	HABS. SURVEY NO. CAL-1557 History - Following the discovery of gold in 1848, there soon came
PUBLISHED PHOTOGRAPHS	a rush of fortune seekers to California (largely in 1849). Many vessels were aban-
PUBLISHED DRAWINGS	doned in the cove of Yerba Buena - now at the foot of Market Street and North along
	the pier area to Fisherman's Wharf - during the winter of 1849-50. A few (like the Niantic) were beached and later converted to (over)
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other land structures on the gradually filled in area. cf. Cal-1761 and esp. Cal-1763.

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